



---

## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

---

UNDER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND  
DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

June 21, 2005

BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS, L.L.P.  
P.O. BOX 1404  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1404  
US

Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 09922842 in the amount of \$310.00 has been denied .

Application had 8 Independent claims.  
25,28,29,30,40,42,43,45

Sincerely,

ELEANOR KURTZ  
Technical Center Others  
703 308-9010 ext 177